

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S1615–S1772

Measures Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 384–391, and S. Res. 28–30. **Page S1677**

Measures Reported:

S. Res. 28, authorizing expenditures by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs.

S. Res. 30, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page S1677**

Measures Considered:

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 1, making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unemployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S1617–76**

Adopted:

Dorgan Modified Amendment No. 138 (to Amendment No. 98), to provide for reports on the use of funds made available under this Act and the economic impact made by the expenditure or obligation of such funds. **Page S1660**

Dodd Amendment No. 354 (to Amendment No. 98), to impose executive compensation limitations with respect to entities assisted under the Troubled Asset Relief Program. **Pages S1617, S1660–61**

Baucus (for McCaskill) Amendment No. 125 (to Amendment No. 98), to limit compensation to officers and directors of entities receiving emergency economic assistance from the Government. **Pages S1617, S1661**

Baucus (for McCaskill) Further Modified Amendment No. 236 (to Amendment No. 98), to establish funding levels for various offices of inspectors general and to set a date until which such funds shall remain available. **Pages S1617, S1663–64**

Baucus (for Boxer) Further Modified Amendment No. 363, to ensure the expeditious completion of National Environmental Policy Act reviews under applicable law. **Pages S1617, S656, S1664–65**

Rejected:

By 32 yeas to 65 nays (Vote No. 46), Feingold Amendment No. 140 (to Amendment No. 98), to provide greater accountability of taxpayers' dollars by curtailing congressional earmarking and requiring disclosure of lobbying by recipients of Federal funds. **Pages S1617, S1658–59, S1659–60**

By 43 yeas to 54 nays (Vote No. 47), Barrasso (for DeMint) Amendment No. 189 (to Amendment No. 98), to allow the free exercise of religion at institutions of higher education that receive funding under section 803 of division A. **Pages S1617, S1650–51, S1661**

Barrasso Amendment No. 326 (to Amendment No. 98), to expedite reviews required to be carried out under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. **Pages S1617, S1665**

Withdrawn:

Baucus (for Dorgan) Amendment No. 200 (to Amendment No. 98), to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the taxation of income of controlled foreign corporations attributable to imported property. **Pages S1617, S1660**

Baucus (for Harkin/Stabenow) Amendment No. 338 (to Amendment No. 98), to require the Secretary of the Treasury to carry out a program to enable certain individuals to trade certain old automobiles for certain new automobiles. **Pages S1617, S1661**

Pending:

Reid (for Inouye/Baucus) Amendment No. 98, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S1617**

Murray Amendment No. 110 (to Amendment No. 98), to strengthen the infrastructure investments made by the bill. **Page S1617**

Baucus (for Dodd) Amendment No. 145 (to Amendment No. 98), to improve the efforts of the Federal Government in mitigating home foreclosures and to require the Secretary of the Treasury to develop and implement a foreclosure prevention loan modification plan. **Pages S1617, S1661**

Coburn Amendment No. 176 (to Amendment No. 98), to require the use of competitive procedures to award contracts, grants, and cooperative agreements funded under this Act. (By 1 yea to 96 nays)